

Application for Candidacy
Music Leadership Credentialing Program
2012

Return completed application, with your current resume and supportive letters from your congregation's minister and board president, on or before March 31, 2012, to: Julie Shaw, jshaw@uua.org

Applicant's Name:

Address:

Phone:

Email:

Current role as music leader:

Current congregation served:

Size of current congregation:

Number of years at congregation:

Brief description of music program:

Are you applying to the standard 3-year program or to the tenure track?

Why do you want to complete this program?

What is your personal and professional relationship with the various leaders in the congregation/s you serve? (e.g. Minister, Board President, DRE, Music Committee, etc.?)

How would you personify your music program as a character in the congregation? (e.g. the grumpy old man, the young upstart, the college professor, etc.) Why?

What are your strengths as a music leader? What areas need improvement? Describe your “potential for excellence in music ministry”.

What is your philosophy and vision of music ministry? How are you called to serve? Describe your passion for music ministry. (*Note: if you are chosen as a candidate you will revise this statement at the end of each year considering each of the following questions:*

- *How are you called to serve?*
- *Describe your passion for music ministry.*
- *How does your music ministry serve your congregation?*
- *How does your music ministry reflect our UU principles, traditions and sources?*
- *How is music in your congregation a ministry?*
- *How does music in your congregation change lives and heal persons?*

In this initial statement, consider one or two of these questions that you feel you can answer.)

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What questions do you have about the program?